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REMARKS

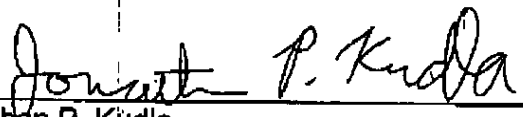
Applicant thanks the Examiner for the careful review of this application. The specification was amended to correct the clerical errors noted by the Examiner in a telephonic Examiner Interview on June 8, 2004. A Statement of Substance of Interview is included enclosed herewith. Similarly, claims 1 and 3 were amended to correct clerical errors and not for purposes of patentability or to narrow any claim element. Claims 7-21 were canceled without prejudice since they are directed to non-elected groups. Dependent claims 22-36 are added, as agreed by the Examiner. Therefore, claims 1-6 and 22-36 remain pending in this application.

CONCLUSION

Applicant believes that all pending claims are allowable and a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that a conference would be of value in expediting the prosecution of this application, she is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned counsel at the number set out below.

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